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For: HEAT RESISTANT COATED MEMBER,
MAKING METHOD, AND TREATMENT
USING THE SAME

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Sir:

As an attorney of record, the undersigned hereby states that the present application and the Takai application (US 2003/0017338) were, at the time of the invention of the present application, owned by the same person, namely Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd. Therefore, this reference is not available under 35 U.S.C. § 103(c) to reject the present application.

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